

**IMPORTANT CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE**

The documents accompanying this telecopy transmission contain confidential information belonging to the sender which is legally protected. The information is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named below. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this telecopied information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this telecopy in error, please immediately notify us by telephone (collect) to arrange for return of the telecopied document to us.

**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

**OCT 16 2008**

**TO: Board of Patents Appeals and Inferences  
United States Patent and Trademark Office**

Fax No. 571-273-0299  
571-273-8300

**FROM: Charles R. Matson**

Fax No. 513-945-6785

Phone No. 513-983-8579

Appeal No.: 2008-1321  
Appellant: Michael Charles Raufman et al.  
Application No.: 10/664,373  
Hearing Date: Thursday, November 6, 2008

**FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET AND**  
**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8**

*I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 16, 2008, to the above-identified facsimile numbers.*

Bonnie S. Dell (Signature)

Listed below is the item being submitted with this Certificate of Transmission:\*\*

1) Notice of Hearing

Number of Pages Including this Page: 2

**Comments:**

**\*\*Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, OR this certificate must identify each submitted paper.**

*(FAX-USPTO.doc Revised 11/18/2005)*

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
OCT 16 2008

Page 1



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE  
COMPANY  
GLOBAL LEGAL DEPARTMENT -  
IP  
SYCAMORE BUILDING - 4TH  
FLOOR  
299 EAST SIXTH STREET  
CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Appeal No: 2008-1321  
Appellant: Michael Charles Raufman et al.  
Application No: 10/664,373  
Hearing Room: B  
Hearing Docket: A  
Hearing Date: Thursday, November 06, 2008  
Hearing Time: 09:00 AM  
Location: Madison Building - East Wing  
600 Dulany Street, 9th Floor  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

NOTICE OF HEARING  
CONFIRMATION REQUIRED WITHIN TWENTY-ONE DAYS

Your attention is directed to 37 CFR § 41.47. The above identified appeal will be heard by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on the date indicated. Hearings will commence at the time set and as soon as the argument in one appeal is concluded, the succeeding appeal will be taken up. The time allowed for argument is twenty minutes unless additional time is requested and permitted before the argument is commenced. If there are any inquiries, please contact the Clerk of the Board at 571-272-9797.

The application involved in this appeal has been published. Accordingly, the hearing in this appeal is open to the public.

CONFIRMATION OR WAIVER OF THE HEARING IS REQUIRED. This form must be completed below and facsimile transmitted to both: (1) the USPTO Central fax number (official copy), and (2) the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences fax number (courtesy copy) within TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice indicating confirmation or waiver of the hearing. A copy of this notice may be alternately filed by mail if facsimile is not available.

BPAI HEARINGS FAX No: (571) 273-0299

USPTO Central Fax No: (571) 273-8300

BPAI Mailing Address: Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
P.O. BOX 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

In all communications relating to this appeal, please identify the appeal by its number.

CHECK ONE: ☒ HEARING ATTENDANCE CONFIRMED ( ) HEARING ATTENDANCE WAIVED

CMR  
Signature of Attorney/Agent/Appellant

10-16-2008  
Date

52,006  
Registration No.

Names of other visitors expected to accompany counsel: Amy Foust

For information on visitor access to hearing rooms and security procedures at the USPTO Alexandria Campus, see  
[http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/dxam/ocounsel/contact.htm#bpa\\_contacts](http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/dxam/ocounsel/contact.htm#bpa_contacts)